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On RIDICULE.

Addreſs'd to the Authors *of the* Grub-ſtreet *Journal.*

RIDICULE is one of the moſt univerſal Practices among Mankind. It proceeds either from the Wantoneſs of our own Vanity, or Contempt for the Frailties of our Fellow-Creatures. Common Converſation is frequently a general Lampoon; and one Company is ſacrific'd to another; tho' they are ſure themſelves of being the next Victims. We take the ſame Pleaſure in Scandal, that Monkeys do in Miſchief, and I have been often ſorry to ſee the Similitude ſo exact. Indeed the Lovers of this Amuſement make the ſame Declaration, and, like an Executioner, ask Pardon for the Action they are reſolv'd to commit: But they find their Account in this Conceſſion, becauſe the Pity they diſſemble makes the Wound the ſurer.——I have much wonder'd why the Tea-Table ſhould be thought the Mother of Scandal, or the Nurſe of Ridicule. This very Character of it is Scandal, and conſequently 'tis as much the Growth of other Places. But ſuch Satire is only levell'd at the Ladies, and if they are innocent, the Rarity will be their Juſtification. In the mean Time, let thoſe who are fond enough of their own Chimeras to believe them, look round the World with due Impartiality, and they will diſcover at once all Mankind purſuing the ſame Pleaſure, under different Diſguiſes, and railing at one another for being guilty of the ſame Crime: They are unwilling to be thought malicious, and yet are paſſionately in Love with faſhionable Lies. They condemn Cenſure in others, that they may indulge it in themſelves; and, like cunning Tradeſmen, undervalue the Merchandize they deſign to monopolize. To be more particular, let every Man conſult his own Heart, and inquire rigorouſly what is the Motive of his ſevere Witticiſms on his Friends, his pointed Reflections on his Enemies, his Irony on his Acquaintance, his Indecencies to Strangers, the wanton Pleaſure of telling one unhappy Story, and the ſecret Satisfaction of attending to another; let every Man do this, and if he is honeſt, he will have as little Reaſon to be ſatisfied with himſelf, as with the People he has condemn'd ſo freely; if he is wiſe, he'll think his own Vanity as deſerving of Ridicule, as any one of the Follies his own Wit has expos'd.——There is a Principle of Self-Conceit in humane Nature, that lies too deep to be diſcover'd by ſome, and is wilfully overlook'd by others: The Effect of this is often impos'd on the World for Virtue, and very few are ingenuous enough to own the Deceit. 'Tis plain then, that almoſt every Individual is for making Compliments to his own Merit, at the Expence of every Body in his Way, and that 'tis not the Tea-Table only, that gives the Encouragement to a general Evil, which every particular Perſon condemns. I believe the Taverns are as acceſſary to it, as private Houſes; and the Bottle affords as favourable an Hint as a Diſh of Tea. The Ladies I'm afraid are Sufferers both Ways; for what the Gentlemen leave undone abroad, they finiſh themſelves at home, without the leaſt Apprehenſion, that while they injure the Abſent, they receive the ſame Compliment themſelves. Courts are generally eſteem'd the Source and Fountain Head of good Manners; and Scandal and good Manners are always thought inconſiſtent; yet even Courts are repreſented as the moſt indulgent Places for Scandal to be nurs'd in, as well as the moſt extenſive Subjects for the Exerciſe of its Power. They cheriſh a Serpent, that uſes every Opportunity to ſting its Benefactor.——Theatres were deſign'd originally for the Encouragement of Ingenuity, and the Reſort of Politeneſs; yet Scandal frequently uſurps the Place of both, and the Stage begins, what the Audience continues; as if the firſt was only a Rehearſal of the Characters of the laſt.——Some People are bold enough to inſinuate, that Churches themſelves are not free from this epidemical Evil. Scandal, they ſay, looks beſt in the Maſque of Holineſs, and never fails to uſe it on all proper Occaſions. All her maſterly Miſchiefs have been done in this Diſguiſe, and the Devotion of the Saint, was the whiteſt Veil for the Devil underneath.——I ſhould be very unwilling to give the Preference to a Gaming-Table on this Affair; but of all Aſſemblies I am acquainted with, this ſeems to be the freeſt from Irony and Slander. The Reaſon indeed is very plain; the Paſſions are all employ'd another Way, and Avarice is a Spirit, that allows of no Rival.——But however 'tis not the Gay, the Great, or the courtly Part of the Univerſe alone, that encourage this Practice by their Example: The Vice is contagious, it runs thro' the whole People. Servants catch it from their Lords, Tradeſmen from the Gentry, and Inferiors from them. It flouriſhes among Watermen upon the River with great Succeſs; it rides with Hackney-Coachmen, trudges about with Chairmen, cheats in the Exchange, and lies in the Alley.——It travels in Stage-Coaches, ſcatters Debates in every Town on the Road, ſpreads itſelf into Villages, intrudes into Privacy and Retirement, libels the Miniſtry, laughs at Patriotiſm, deſcends to ridicule Dreſs, and lampoon Deformity; in ſhort, it wanders every where, like an *Ignis fatuus*, and is only at home, in the *Grub-ſtreet* Journal.

How far this Libertiniſm of Speech is to be indulg'd, I won't pretend to determine, nor of what Importance the Uſe of it may be to the Reformation of Mankind; but this I am certain of, that every moral Man, who makes Uſe of it, will do it only for the Sake of him he cenſures; and every Gentleman will make good Manners the only Rule of his Behaviour: As we have no Authority for ſuch Freedoms, we can't be too delicate, or too tender in our Remonſtrances; and if we wiſh well to humane Nature, we ſhall naturally chuſe that Method, which will do it the moſt Service. All Mankind have a natural Jealouſy of their Characters, and indure Cenſure, like Advice, with the utmoſt Reluctance. We muſt have a due Complaiſance for one Frailty, while we endeavour to reform another; and the Inſolence of Knowledge is to the full as inſupportable, as the Affectation of Folly. ——This is certainly the Voice of Reaſon, and the Dictate of good Nature. Whoever contradicts either, is not qualified to reflect on others, till he has reform'd himſelf.——Neither is it the Manner of Ridicule only, that is to be underſtood ſo perfectly, and executed ſo genteely; the Subjects of it are to be choſen with Juſtice and Impartiality. We muſt carefully diſtinguiſh what is truly ridiculous, before we attempt to expoſe it. No Man is to be blam'd for the Defects of Nature, or the Malice of Fortune, unleſs he has neglected real Opportunities, to amend the one, and diſappoint the other. Private Irony and domeſtick Satire are to be regulated by this Standard, as well as publick Sarcaſms and popular Criticiſms; and thoſe who treſpaſs on either (like *Haman*) juſtly incur the very Condemnation they intended others.

I ſhould be very ſorry to point out any Set of Men, who have undertaken the Drudgery of Invective, under the Pretence of being Champions for Politeneſs. I am unwilling to believe they delight in perſonal Slander; or pleaſe themſelves only with unmannerly Lampoon; and yet there are Perſons, who have ſo frequently tranſgreſs'd the Rules of Truth and good Breeding, that 'tis not in the Power of good nature to make the leaſt Concluſion in their Favour. Indeed *Grub-ſtreet* is a Situation that, I believe, no Men of Character for Senſe and Politeneſs would chuſe. If any ſuch are ſo unhappy, I hope, for their own Sakes, they will make a ſpeedy Remove, or, by a Change of Manners, add a Dignity to the Place, it was always a Stranger to before.——If they are really Natives, they act only in Character, and conſequently we ſhould more wonder at their Reformation, than at a regular Perſiſtance in thoſe Errors, that have hitherto been their only Diſtinction.

The following Lines need no Explanation, and we hope will prove entertaining to our Readers.

LOTHARIO; *an* ODE.

Recitative.

NIGHT hung Mid-Way in all her Gloom,
And Sorrow watch'd Caliſta's *Tomb,*
When ſad Lothario, *wild with Woe,*
Heart-wounded, preſt the Ground below;
Grief waken'd Thought, and Thought was Pain,
Diſtraction turn'd his giddy Brain;
Deſpair ſtood by to hear his Moan,
And Pity wept at ev'ry Groan.

Air.

O'er her Grave forever lying,
Let me waſte whole Years in dying,
Years of Sorrow I ſhould know!
Poor Caliſta *dies before me!*
Shame and Anguiſh hover o'er me!
Injur'd Friendſhip groans below;
Virtue mourns Caliſta's *Ruin,*
Beauty weeps at her Undoing,
Grandeur wears the Brow of Woe.

Recitative.

He paus'd to weep——And fancy drew,
In threat'ning Form before his View
The injur'd Friend, the dying Fair,
His wrathful Eye, her moving Air;
Dire Phrenſy made the Viſion plain,
And wildly thus he raves again.

Air.

Bear me, Furies, to the Ocean,
Rolling wide with fierce Commotion:
Plung'd amid the loudeſt Roar,
Guilt ſhall ſting my Soul no more:
Scorn and Malice then ſhall ſay,
Death has waſh'd his Crimes away.
Soft my Soul! Indulge thy Anguiſh,
Yet a little longer languiſh;
Death's cold Hand lies freezing on me,
Guilt, Love and Sorrow have undone me;
Swimming Darkneſs ſhades my Eye:
See! Caliſta, *ſee! I die.*

To the AUTHOR *of the* WEEKLY REGISTER.

SIR,

SINCE you have oblig'd your Readers already with an Entertaining, tho' ſhort *Eſſay* on the Beauty of FABLE, it would be needleſs, if not impertinent, to enlarge on the Uſe, and perſuaſive Power of *Allegorical Inſtructions:* I ſhall only beg leave to make one additional Remark, that as FABLE is univerſally allow'd to be the moſt genteel, moſt inoffenſive Method of Reprehenſion; ſo likewiſe 'tis the moſt beautiful, moſt polite Conveyance of deſerv'd Applauſe. As therefore the *Anniverſary* of his Royal Highneſs the *Prince's Birth-Day* is near, I have ſent you encloſ'd a Tranſlation of a very gay, mythological Compliment paid to the DAUPHINE of FRANCE, by that moſt polite Courtier, the late celebrated *Arch-biſhop* of CAMBRAY, which is juſtly applicable, in my Opinion, to that joyful Occaſion, and will be eſteem'd, I hope, a ſeaſonable Amuſement for your next Paper. I am *Yours* &c. L. L.

The NIGHTINGALE *and* LINNET.

A COURT FABLE.

ON the ever verdant Banks of the River *Alpheus* ſtands a Grove, where three *Naiades* diffuſe their noiſy Waters, and refreſh the new-born Flowers. The *Graces* often bath themſelves in theſe chryſtalline Streams. The Winds are partial to this peaceful Grove, and none but gentle *Zephyrs* whiſper thro' the Trees. There the *Nymphs* and *Fauns* by Night aſſemble, and whilſt *Pan* plays on his melodious Pipe, ſtrike with their Feet alternately the Ground. So thick, ſo interwoven are the Trees, no Sun-beams e'er can pierce them. There ſolemn Silence reigns in peaceful Gloom; amidſt the trembling Leaves ſad *Philomela* ſits, and tells her mournful Tale; ſings all the Night, but ſings, alas! in vain. Upon another Spray a *Linnet* warbling ſings, and with his cheerful Notes proclaims to all the neighb'ring Swains th' Approach of Spring. So ſweet ſhe ſung, the *Nightingale* herſelf grew jealous. One Day they ſpy'd a SWAIN, within the Center of the Grove, whom they had never ſeen before. They gaz'd on him with Pleaſure, and took him for ſome *noble Youth*, a Lover of the *Muſes*, and of *Muſick*. They fancy'd he might be APOLLO in diſguiſe, as once he was, when Shepherd to ADMETUS; or at the leaſt, ſome *Hero* to the *Gods* ally'd. The *Birds*, by Inſpiration of the *Muſes*, thus began their tuneful Song in Concert. " Who is this *Shepherd*. or this *God unknown*, who " honours thus our Grove? He liſtens to our harmleſs " Notes with Pleaſure. The *Muſes* are, we find, his *Fa-* " *vourites:* Their melting Sounds will tune his generous " Soul, and make him lovely as he's Great." Then *Philomel* purſu'd the Song alone. " O! may our *Hero's* " Virtues multiply, like the gay Flow'rs in Spring! may " he delight in innocent and rational Amuſements! may " the ſoft *Graces* hang on his *Lips*, and wiſe *Minerva* dwell " within his Heart! The *Linnet* reply'd, O! may the " Muſick of his Tongue prove more melodious than the " Lyre of *Orpheus!* may he in Time to come be more re- " nown'd for his heroic Actions than *Alcides!* may he be " more couragious, but not ſo rath, and ſo unguarded as " *Achilles!* may he be good and wiſe, love all Mankind, " and be by them belov'd! and may the *Muſes* tune his " Soul to every Virtue!" Then the *inſpired Birds* again in Chorus join'd. " Our tuneful Notes charm his attentive " Ears, and ſink into his Heart, as gentle Dews into the " thirſty Earth. May the *good Gods* incline his Heart to " Mercy, and make him ever happy! may his Hand ever " graſp the Horn of Plenty, and thro' his Means the *Gol-*

" *Jew Age* return! may his good Conduct influence all " Mankind, and Flow'rs forever bloom beneath his Feet!" Whilſt thus the *feather'd Choriſters* their Deſcants ſung, the *Zephyrs*, loth to interrupt their Muſick, dropt their Wings. The various parti-colour'd Flow'rs that then adorn'd the Grove, rear'd up their chearful Heads. The Streams, which the three *Naiades* pour'd from their noiſy Urns, crept ſilently along. The *Fauns* and *Satyrs* liſten'd attentively to their charming Sounds. *Echo*, well pleas'd, repeated every Note to all the concave Rocks. A long Train of *Dryads* iſſu'd from their hollow Trunks, to gaze with Admiration on the *Godlike Youth*, for whoſe Succeſs ſweet *Philomela* and the warbling *Linnet* thus zealouſly in Concert join'd their Wiſhes.

SATURDAY, *January* 9.

WE hear that the Deputy and Common-Council-Men of *Cheap* Ward, have determined to ſerve as Jurymen in the Ld. Mayor's and Sheriff's Courts, for the Year enſuing. It is hop'd this good Example will be follow'd by the Gentlemen of the other Wards in this City, it being for the publick Good of their Fellow-Citizens.

If the worthy Common-Council of this City, would take Cogniſance of the Court of Requeſts (commonly call'd the Court of Conſcience) and regulate the Subalterns, in Reſpect to Summons, Attachments, *&c.* they would do a laudable Piece of Service to many poor Citizens, who daily complain of very hard Uſage.

We hear, Orders are given for Money to be iſſued out of the Treaſury, for the Payment of his Majeſty's Bounty to decay'd Gentlewomen.

Laſt *Wedneſday*, *Wm. Gurney* a Founder in *Grub*-ſtreet, hang'd himſelf; and laſt Night the Coroner's Jury brought him in Lunatick.

The Election of a Surgeon for St. *Bartholomew*'s Hoſpital is to be on *Friday* the 22d Inſt. at *Goldſmith*'s Hall.

Rob. &c. The two Highwaymen lately committed to *Newgate* by Juſtice *Lambert*, have confeſs'd their robbing of the *Taunton* Coach, in *November* laſt, and ſtealing the Lady *Lymington*'s rich lac'd Head-Dreſs.— On *Wedneſday* Night, ſome Rogues got over a Wall, into a Yard, and ſo into a Pawnbroker's Houſe in *Bond*'s Stables, where they ſtole about the Value of ten Pounds in Goods that lay there for their Fees.

Pref. Major *Cholmondeley*, ſecond Son to the Earl of *Cholmondeley*, is made Deputy Gov. of the Caſtle of *Cheſter*.——Mr. *Baſnett* is made Coachmaker to his R. H. the Prince.——A few Days ſince, the Rev. Mr. *Wright* was preſented to the *Sine Cure* at *Hackney* near *London*.——Mr. *Cæſar* is appointed Regiſter for *Surrey*.——Mr. *Eſſex Collins* is made Gunner of the *Succeſs*.

Mar. Mr. *Abr. Jordan*, the famous Organ Builder, was married *Yeſterday* to Mrs. *Lucy Goddiard*, a young Lady of a good Fortune.

Deaths. A few Days ſince, died Dr. *Morton*, of the College of Phyſicians.——On *Thurſday* died Mr. *Boheme*, a celebrated Actor in *Lincoln*'s-Inn Playhouſe.

Edenburgh, *Jan.* 5. Died in this City, and buried in the *Grey-Friars* Church-yard in the Year 1730, Men 188, Women 271, Children 441, Stilborn 36, in all 936, decreaſed this Year 40.

Shipping. The *Hunter Sloop*, Capt. *Cliffe*, from *Jamaica*, was lately taken on the Coaſt of *New Spain*, by a *Spaniſh* Guard de Coſta.

MONDAY, *January* 11.

Laſt *Saturday* at the General Quarter-Seſſions of the Peace for *Weſtm.* one *Bambridge* was ſentenc'd to ſtand in the Pillory for attempting to commit Sodomy, and one *Herbert* to ſtand twice in the Pillory, and ſuffer ſix Months Impriſonment, for attempting to commit a Rape on a Child of eight Years of Age.

The ſame Day, Mr. *Franklin* the Bookſeller was taken into Cuſtody, by four of his Majeſty's Meſſengers, for printing and publiſhing that Day's *Craftſman*.

The ſame Day Mr. *Collier*, a Small-Plate-Worker in *Bartholomew*-Cloſe cut his Throat.

The North Mail due laſt *Friday* Morning did not come in till late at Night; on Account of the great Snow lately fallen in *Yorkſhire*, the Roads being ſcarcely paſſable for Man or Horſe; one of the Poſt Boys being 12 Hours travelling 12 Miles.

Yeſterday in the Forenoon, an Alarm of Fire was given at St. *Climent*'s Church in the *Strand*, when the Miniſter was reading the Communion Service, which occaſion'd all the People, the Parſon, and Clerk, to quit the Church; but on a nice Enquiry, it was found to be only ſome Smoke that came out of a Vault adjoining to the Church.

Rob. &c. Laſt Week, a Man who kept a publick Houſe at *Dunſtable*, was committed to *Bedford* Jail for the Murther of a Girl apprentic'd to him.——Laſt *Saturday*, one *Watkins*, a Boy, was committed to *Woodſtreet* Compter for Shoplifting.——The ſame Day a great Number of Priſoners were removed from the ſeveral Priſons in this City, and the County of *Middleſex*, to *Newgate*; in order to be tried at the enſuing Seſſions at the *Old Bailey*.——*Yeſterday* one *Tilley* was committed to *Newgate* on Suſpicion of robbing his Lodgings at *Hackney*.

Pref. Mr. *Tho. Granger* Attorney, of *Lyon*'s-Inn, is made Sollicitor to the Wine-Licence Office, a Place of good Profit and Advantage.——On *Thurſday* laſt the Hon. *Abraham Stanyan*, and *Robt. Jackſon*, Eſqs; took the uſual Oaths as Commiſſioners for the Cuſtody of the Privy Seal.

Mar. Laſt *Saturday*, Mr. *Nich. Smith*, Grocer, in St. *Paul*'s Church-yard, was married to Mrs. *Slater*, a Widow Gentlewoman of 5,000*l.* Fortune.

Deaths. On *Thurſday* laſt, died Major *Garth* of the fourth Troop of Guards, at his Houſe in *New-Bond*-Street.—— On *Friday*, died at his Houſe in *Doctors-Commons* Mr *Taverner*, an eminent Proctor.——On *Saturday*, died Mr. *Joſeph Wyeth*, an eminent Linnen Draper over againſt the Monument.

Shipping. They write from *Gibraltar*, *Dec.* 8. That an Algerine Rover was driven by bad Weather into that Bay, and General *Sabine* having Notice that he had three *Genoeſe* Mariners, belonging to the Town of *Gibraltar* on Board, demanded them of the Captain, who ſhew'd a great Unwillingneſs to part with them; but being convinc'd that they were really Inhabitants of that Town they were ſurrender'd, and a ſolemn Proceſſion of Thankſgiving was made for their Deliverance ——On the firſt of this Month in the Night, two Veſſels were loſt in a Storm at the Mouth of the *Maeſe* in *Holland*, and both their Crews periſh'd; but it is not yet known who they were.

TUESDAY, *January* 12.

Late on *Saturday* Night ended the Quarter Seſſions of the Peace for the City and Liberty of *Weſtm.* at *Weſtm. Hall*, when *Eliz. Winnall* and *Mary Griffith*, convicted for Petty Larceny, were order'd to be whipt from the *New Exchange* in the *Strand* to the *Mewſe* Gate: One *John Lynch*, an Iriſhman, alſo convicted for Petty Larceny, in ſtealing a Hat, is to be whipt from the End of *Downing*-Street, to the lower End of *King*-Street, *Weſtm.* to the *Gatehouſe*: And one *Cath. Armſtrong*, al. *Strong-in-the-Arm*, convicted for ſtealing a Book, intitled, *Reſeby's Miſcellany*, in Regard ſhe was a Woman of Letters, and it was ſuppoſed to be her firſt Offence, was order'd by the Court to receive her Puniſhment of whipping privately in the Priſon.——This being the Seſſions for chuſing a Chairman, Sir *Tho. Croſs* moved that Sir *John Gonſon* of the *Inner*-Temple, who had been their Chairman for two Years paſt, (and by his Behaviour in that Office had gained ſo much Reputation to himſelf, and Credit to the Commiſſion) might be continued Chairman for the Year enſuing, which Motion was unanimouſly agreed to by the whole Bench, and he was rechoſen Chairman accordingly; and he alſo received the Thanks of the Bench for his learned and excellent Charge given the firſt Day of the Seſſions, and was deſired by them, as well as by the Grand Jury, to permit the ſame to be printed.

The ſame Night, the new born Son and Heir of the R. Hon. *Wm. Pulteney*, Eſq; was baptized at his Houſe in *Arlington*-ſtreet, by the Name of *William*, the R. H. the Earl of *Berkeley*, the R. Hon. the Earl of *Winchelſea* and *Nottingham* being Godfathers, and her Grace the Dutcheſs Dowager of *Marlborough* Godmother.

They write from *Liverpole*, That they had Advice that on the 20th of *July*, the *Hare*, Capt. *Sacheverel*, being at *Cape Coaſt*, the *Negroes* on Board roſe and endeavour'd to deſtroy the Ship; but two Barrels of Powder blowing up, 18 of them leap'd into the Sea, whereof 14 were ſo much burnt before, that they died immediately; ſuch as remained alive were taken up from the Water, and got on Board again.

Yeſterday two private Centinels belonging to the firſt Reg. of Foot-Guards were whipt by the Drums on the Parade in St. *James*'s-Park, purſuant to their Sentence at a late Court-Martial, for Neglect of Duty, *&c.*

On *Saturday* Night Mrs. *Nutt*, Mrs. *Dodd*, and Mrs. *Pearce*, three Mercuries, were taken into Cuſtody of one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers, for publiſhing the *Craftſman* of the ſame Day.

Yeſterday the Coroner's Inqueſt ſat on the Body of Mr. *Collier*, the Plate-worker in *Bartholomew-Cloſe*, who cut his Throat on *Saturday* laſt, and brought in their Verdict Lunacy.

Rob. &c. On *Saturday* laſt *Wm. Maynee* who was committed to the *Poultry* Compter by Sir *Edw. Bellamy*, on the Oath of *Zerubabel Croach*, and his own Confeſſion, for erazing and altering two Indorſements on a Bank Note, payable for 50*l.* was brought to *Newgate*, in order to take his Trial this Seſſions.—— Yeſterday one *John Lyon* was committed to *Newgate* by Mr. Juſtice *Hayton*, on the Oath of *John Latham*, for privately ſtealing out of his Shop part of a Silver Watch.

Preferments. The Lord Chief Juſtice *Raymond* is created a Peer of this Realm, by the Title of Baron *Langley Berry*.——Brig. Gen. *Cha. Churchill* will ſhortly be put into the Commiſſion of the Peace for the County of *Middleſex*, and City and Liberty of *Weſtminſter*——Mr. *Wm. Kent* is appointed to ſucceed Mr. *Lane* deceaſed, in the Place of Aſſiſtant to his Majeſty's Wine Cellar.

Mar. Laſt *Thurſday* Mr. *Tho. King*, an eminent Hoſier in *Cheapſide*, was married to Miſs *Watts* of *Stratford*, an agreeable Lady of 5000*l.* Fortune.

Deaths. On *Sunday* Night Mr. *Stoinclift*, an Attorney of *Clifford*'s-Inn, who died lately at *Iſlington*, was buried there. ——*Yeſterday* died at his Houſe in *Boſſwell*-Court, Sir *Th. Jones*, Knt. one of his Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for the County of *Middleſex* and Liberty of *Weſtminſter*: His Widow is Principal of the Subpœna-Office in Chancery.

WEDNESDAY, *January* 13.

Yeſterday the Penſioners in *Chelſea* Hoſpital, belonging to the firſt Regiment of Guards, were muſter'd, and examined there, before the Commiſſioners belonging to the ſaid College; and thoſe that were found fit for Service, were order'd to reinforce his Majeſty's Garriſons, and the others continued there.

The ſame Day a Fire broke out in a Stable belonging to an Inn in *Crutched-Friars*, which burnt three Horſes and a Gentleman's Coach, and did ſome other Damage.

Glaſbury in the County of *Radnor*, *Jan.* 8. A moſt barbarous Murder was committed on *Monday* Night laſt on *John Williams* of *Cumback*, a Carpenter, by ſtabbing him in the Throat and other Places, with a Knife, and beating out his Brains with a Stocking-Axe, and cutting him in ſeveral other Places with the Axe, who thus was left dead upon the Floor in his Shirt. After the Murder was committed, the Door was lock'd, and the Key left under the Thatch where it uſed to be put. There was no Robbery committed, or Boxes broke open. He lay in the Manner above-mention'd till *Wedneſday* Morning. His only Brother *William*, who uſed ſometimes to lye with his Brother *John*, was about to marry *William Williams* of *Fynangynidd* the Butcher's Daughter, and the Night his Brother *John* was murder'd, he went to her at a very unſeaſonable Hour, with all his Cloaths bloody, which ſhe waſhed and cleaned as well as ſhe could. On *Wedneſday* Morning *William* came to his Brother's, and abundance of Neighbours being preſent, he owned the Knife that was all bloody to be his; upon which, together with his bloody Cloaths and other Circumſtances, and no Robbery committed, and no Body to get by his Brother's Death but himſelf, though he deny'd the Fact, yet he was *Yeſterday* committed to *Preſteign* Jail by Juſtice *Heworth*; and his Sweetheart is bound to appear at the next Aſſizes.

A vile Practice has for ſome Time been carried on, by ſome Juſtices Clerks, for the County of *Middleſex*; who have clandeſtinely receiv'd Money of ſeveral Victuallers, under Pretence of helping them to Licences, without their Attendance at the Seſſions at *Hick*'s-Hall. But the Juſtices having order'd every Victualler to make his perſonal Appearance before them in *September* laſt, according to the Act of Parliament, this Fraud was diſcover'd; but ſome of the Clerks have chang'd their Lodgings.

Yeſterday *James Herbert* ſtood in the Pillory in *Albemarle*-Street, and was ſeverely uſed by the Populace.

On *Saturday* laſt the Ground was meaſur'd from *Hide*-Park Corner to *Windſor* Lodge on a Wager of 200 Guineas, between two noble Perſonages; which prov'd to be 21 Miles and one Furlong.

Mr. *Franklin*, Mrs. *Dodd*, Mrs. *Nutt* and Mrs. *Pearce*, are admitted to Bail.

On *Monday* the 25th Inſt. the two Months Wages in ſix, due to his Majeſty's Ships the *Goſport*, and *Roſe*, will be paid at the Pay-Office in *Broadſtreet*.

Rob. &c. Yeſterday *Tho. Wright* was committed to *Newgate* by Juſtice *Phillips*, on the Oath of *John Simpſon*, for ſtealing a Suit of lac'd Headclothes.——*Patr. Gill* was the ſame Day committed to the ſame Jail on the Oath of *J. Carrol*, for being an Accomplice with him in robbing Mr. *William Williams*.—*Yeſterday* Morning a Gentlewoman was robb'd on *Finchley Common*, of nine Guineas, an half Guinea, and a Silver Watch, by three Foot-pads.

Pref. On *Monday* laſt *Edw. Kynaſton*, L. L. D. one of the Fellows of *All Souls* College in *Oxford*, was made Commiſſary to the Dean and Chapter of St. *Paul*'s.

Mar. On *Friday*, Mr. *Weſton*, Son to the Lord Biſhop of *Exon*, was married to Miſs *Patrick*, Grand-Daughter to the late Biſhop of *Ely*, at *Cambridge*.

Deaths. Yeſterday Morning, died Mr. *Langſtead*, an eminent Apothecary in *Cheapſide*.——On *Monday* Night died Mrs. *Stiles*, Siſter to Mr. *Stiles* an eminent Hoſier in *Cheapſide*, a very worthy young Lady.——Laſt *Saturday*, the Rev. Mr. *Joſeph Betty*, was found dead in his Chamber in *Exeter* College, *Oxon*, of which he was Fellow; he was obſerv'd to go into his Chamber, to all Appearance in good Health the *Thurſday* Evening before, but not having been ſeen all *Friday*, on *Saturday* Morning his Door was broke open, and he was found dead, but his Body not quite cold.

Shipping. Hague, *Jan.* 14. N. S. By the Report of of Fiſhermen from the North Sea, a *Weſt-India* Ship turning into the *Maeſe*, two Days ago, laden with Almonds, Sack, *&c.* was caſt away upon the Shelf named the *Ouruſet*; the Men were ſaved. An *Engliſh* Veſſel, and a ſmall Veſſel unknown were caſt away at the ſame Time, and nothing ſav'd.

THURSDAY, *January* 14.

Yesterday were paid at the Custom-House in *London*, a great Number of *Debentures* for the 15 *per Cent.* and other Duties, without abating any Thing or pretending to the Right of any Fee due for the same; and we hear that very soon will be published an Account of the lawful Fees due to the several Officers of the Customs, whereby it will appear, that a great Part of the Fees paid at the Custom-House in *London*, are contrary to Law, and a great Burthen to the Plantations and the Foreign Trades.

Last *Saturday* the two Sheriffs went to *Woodstreet* Compter, and distributed a very considerable Sum of Money to the poor Prisoners confined in the said Prison for Debt.

Yesterday an Express arriv'd at *Whitehall* from Mr. *Keene* his Majesty's Minister at the Court of *Spain*, on some Affairs of Importance.

The same Day several Officers belonging to the Army set out for their respective Posts at *Gibraltar*, and *Port-Mahon*.

His Highness the Duke, is recover'd of his late Illness.

On *Tuesday* last the Society of College Youths rung a complete Peal of 5040 Changes called *Plain Bob Triples* on the eight Bells of St. *Mary le Bow* in *Cheapside*, in three Hours and 40 Minutes; and on *Saturday* the 19th of *December* last, the said Society rung the same Peal on the eight Bells of St. *Mary Overies* in *Southwark*, being the first true Peals that ever were rung of that Length in either of those Steeples, and reckon'd by all impartial Judges in the Exercise, to be extraordinary Performances, they being the heaviest Peals of Bells in *London*, each of the Tenors weighing upwards of 52 Hundred Weight.

On *Tuesday* Night Mrs. *Goodchild*, Wife to a Linnen-Draper of that Name at *Charing-Cross*, was unfortunately burnt to Death; she went up Stairs into the Laundry, and order'd the Maid to put the Children to Bed, which she did, leaving Mrs. *Goodchild* alone there; one of the Men in the Shop smelling Fire, ran up Stairs, and found all the Cloaths in the Laundry on Fire, and Mrs. *Goodchild* miserably burnt; a Doctor and Surgeon were immediately sent for, but to no Purpose, for she died two Hours after: There was a great Fire in the Room, the Maid being ironing there; and 'tis thought when the Fire reach'd the Cloaths, she fell into a Fit, and so lost her Life.

St. *Andrews*, *Jan.* 5. *Yesterday* about Three in the Afternoon, seven Fishermen who were in Liquor, took into their Boat eighteen Boys whio were playing on Shore, in order to divert them, and having rowed out of the Mouth of the Harbour, they stop'd their Oars to collect Half-pence from them; and neglecting the Boat, it was by a sudden Surge of the Sea driven to the Southward, and overturn'd on the Sand, whereby eight of the Boys were drowned, five whereof were buried here this Day; but the other three are not yet found; few of them were above ten Years old, all the rest with the Fishermen getting ashore, four of the latter are taken, and imprison'd here by Order of our Magistrates.

Rob. &c. Yesterday *Jane Southren*, and *Eliz. Higgins*, were committed to *Newgate*, by Sir *Rich. Brocas*, for robbing *John Wood*, in the Street, of two Gold Rings, Value 28*s.*

Pref. The Rev. Mr. *Bundy*, Chaplain in Ordinary to his Majesty, is presented to the Living of *Chipping Barnet* in *Hertfordshire*, in the Room of Dr. *Day*, who hath resign'd ——*Yesterday* came on the Election of a Lecturer of St. *Mildrid's*, *Bread* Street, in the Room of the Rev. Mr. *Benj. Mangey*, lately deceas'd (Brother to Dr. *Mangey*, Rector of the said Parish) the Candidates were the Rev. Mr. *Adams*, Mr. *Minnett*, and Mr. *Cranet*, and the latter was chosen by a Majority of fourteen Votes.——Mr. *Tho. Price* succeeds Mr. *Lane* deceased, in the Place of Assistant to his Majesty's Wine-Cellar.

Death. On *Tuesday* last died at *Richmond* —— *Sewell*, Esq; First Clerk in the Six Clerks Office.

Shipping. *Cadiz*, *Jan.* 2. N. S. On the 26th *ult.* in the Evening, the *Friendship Brigantine*, Capt. *John Eves*, coming hither from *Malaga*, to fill up for *Bristol*, was cast away upon *S. Sebastians Point*; and the bad Weather coming in, she was entirely lost. All the Crew and some few Butts of Wine were saved; but as the Wines were new, the Salt Water got in at the Vents, and spoiled them.

This Morning Money was sent from the Pay-Office in *Broad*-Street, on board the *Charlot* Yatch, to pay the Company belonging to his Majesty's Ship the *Romney* at *Chatham*, to the 31st of *Dec.* 1729. And also Wages due to the Company of his Majesty's Ship the *Cornwal*, *Grafton* and *Sunderland*, all Guard-Ships at that Port.

FRIDAY, *January* 15.

India Transfer Books opened the 14th. 3 per Cent *Annuity* Transfer Books opened this Day, and the dividend Warrants due at *Christmas* are ready to be delivered and paid.

Yesterday Morning a Child about a Year and half old, was left upon the Stairs at N° 24. in *Clement's*-Inn.

The same Day *John Bambridge* stood in the Pillory in *Palace*-Yard, *Westminst.* for Sodomitical Practices, and was much paulted by the Mob.

This Day *James Harper* stood in the Pillory at the same Place, for an Attempt to commit a Rape on the Body of a Girl about eight Years of Age.

Yesterday the Coroner's Jury sat upon the Body of Mrs. *Goodchild*, a Linnen Draper's Wife at *Charing-Cross*, who was unfortunately burnt to Death; and brought in their Verdict *Accidental*.

Last Night *Tho. Railton*, Esq; one of the Examiners of the Tellers Vouchers in his Majesty's Exchequer, and a Justice of Peace for the County of *Middlesex* and Liberty of *Westminster*, lay at the Point of Death at his House in *Westminster*, in the 80th Year of his Age.

His Majesty hath order'd a Pension of 200*l. per Ann.* to be settled on such of the late King's Livery-Servants as are superannuated, and were unprovided for on the Establishment of his present Majesty's Household, to be paid by the Earl of *Scarborough*.

Last Week a Fire happen'd at Farmer *Tharp's* at *Stratfield-Sea*, not far from *Reading*, occasion'd by a Boy going to serve the Horses, and dropping the Snuff of a Candle amongst the Straw, which burnt the Stable, a Barn, and two Hay-ricks, with three Horses and a Cow, all to the Value of above 100*l.*

They write from *Gravely* near *Huntingdon*, that on the 26th of *December* last, an Inhabitant of that Village, aged 63, was taken in committing a Rape on a Girl of no more than 11 Years of Age, which 'tis said is not his first Crime of that Nature.

A young Man who belong'd to the Gang of idle Fellows, who for some Time past have made it their Business to rip Lead from Houses, and to steal Knockers from Doors, *&c.* went *Yesterday* before Sir *John Gonson*, and hath made a Discovery of a great many of his Accomplices, against whom Sir *John Gonson* has granted his Warrants, and the Constables are in Search after them. A Warrant was also granted at the same Time against a Man and his Wife who keep a disorderly Night-Cellar, and harbour and entertain these and other dissolute and wicked Fellows, and assist them in selling and putting off the Lead, *&c.* which they steal.

On *Friday* last a Waterman at *Thames-Ditton* receiv'd a Gun of a Gentleman of that Place, to carry to *London* to be mended, and charg'd it in order to shoot some Fowl on the River; his Boy taking the Gun to carry it to the Boat, thinking it not to be charged, having before examined it, as he went to the Water-side, met with a young Man, the Son of Mr. *Towne* of that Place, who saying to him, Who made you a Gunner? the Boy wantonly presented the Piece, and immediately shot him dead on the Spot. The Jury have sat on him, and brought it in Accidental.

Last *Wednesday* Morning *Mary Harvey*, alias *Macaig*, broke out of the *King*'s-Bench Prison, *Southwark*, where she was confined upon a Conviction of keeping a disorderly House, and for which Offence she was to have received Sentence next Term at the Court of *King*'s-Bench, *Westminster*. Several other Prisoners escap'd with her.

Yesterday at the Sessions at *Hick*'s-Hall two Bills of Indictment were found against one *Cook*, now in the County Jail for *Surrey*, for sending two Letters to Persons in *Middlesex*, demanding Money, and in Case of Refusal threatning to burn their Houses, and destroy their Families; and this Day he is to be removed by *Habeas Corpus* from the said Jail to *Newgate*, in order to be tried this Sessions at the *Old Bailey*.

The Hon. ——*Pelham*, Esq; who has been some Time on his Travels abroad, is safely arrived here.

Yesterday the Lord *Duplin*, accompany'd with several Persons of Distinction, arrived in Town from his Travels beyond Sea, from whence, we hear, he has brought a fine Collection of Medals, and other valuable Curiosities.

We hear Orders are given to Mr. *Rysbrack*, for erecting a Monument in *Westm.* Abbey, to the Memory of the late E. of *Deloraine*, and 'tis thought it will be exceeded by few for Grandeur and Magnificence.

We are credibly inform'd, that the Grubs have lately sat on the Stool of Repentance, on Account of their *last Journal*, in *Picture-work*; having found, to their *Cost*, that they had put a long *Hunting-Whip* into a certain *Magistrate's* Hand, to no other Purpose, than to *lash* their *own Backs*. On hearing this doleful Disaster, *One* of our *Members*, being a *seventh* Son, and consequently a *Doctor* from his Cradle, call'd for Pen, Ink, and Paper, and wrote the following *Prescription* immediately for Mr. Poppy, *Poet Laureat* to that *disconsolate* Society.

When next in *Picture-Work* your *Journal's* dress't,
Take heed, and make no more a *M——r* your *Jest*;
For *common Fame* is very much mistaken,
Or it has cost you *Pounds* to save your Bacon.
Long since I told you 'twas a dang'rous Thought,
And if 'twas *Wit*, you find it *dearly bought*.
Act safe, like us; we only make our *Farce* on
Some *worthless Quack*, or some *censorious P——n*.
Be *wise*, and *merry*: Your *bold Strokes* decline;
We love the *Game*, but can't endure the *Fine*.
They, who on *Men* in *Pow'r* exert their *Wit*,
Like *You* and C——*b*, find they soon are *hit*.

Christned	M. 192	376		20 and 30		34
	F. 184			30	40	55
Buried	M. 224	444		40	50	42
	F. 222			50	60	44
Decreased	30			60	70	34
Died under 2 Years old.			143	70	80	21
Between 2 and 5	——		31	80	90	16
5 and 10	9, 10 and 20		14	90	100	
				upwds.	100	1

FOREIGN NEWS.

Arrived Mails——Saturday; *one from* Holland.——Sunday; *those from* France *and* Flanders.——Tuesday; *one from* Holland.——Wednesday; *one from* France.

HAGUE, *Jan.* 12. N. S. The Deputies of the Admiralties, who were sent for hither, have at last agreed with those of the States-General to fit out with all Expedition the Squadron of six Men of War formerly mention'd, which will be ready to put to Sea in less than two Months; the Fund for that Equipment being not only settled, but paid in. By this Resolution, the *Spaniards* will be convinc'd, that the Republick will punctually fulfill her Engagements, and assist them in the Execution of the Treaty of *Seville*: And, if we are rightly inform'd, a neighbouring Potentate has taken the same Measures, to keep in Readiness the Ships and Troops he is to furnish his Catholick Majesty withall, for the Expedition to *Italy*: So that there will be no reasonable Ground of Complaint.

The Earl of *Chesterfield* waits the Arrival of a Messenger from the Court of *Great Britain*, before he embarques for that Kingdom; and by that Messenger (we are told) he expects Orders to sign a Private Concert between the two Maritime Powers, for adhering strictly to the Letter of the Treaty of *Seville*, but not to enter into any Measures which may tend to create a War in other Parts besides *Italy*, much less to come to an open Rupture with the Emperor.

We are assured, that this Concert is a Consequence of a Sort of Project of Reconciliation with the Court of *Vienna*, which has been upon the Carpet, and which we flatter ourselves will at last terminate in a real Accommodation between the Imperial Court and that of *Seville*; for *Spain* can hardly force the Emperor into *Italy*, with only the Succours stipulated, unless his Imperial Majesty be at the same Time attack'd on the Side of *Flanders* and the *Rhine*.

Santa Cruz, Nov. 19. *N. S.* The Troubles of this Country are not yet over, the Mountaineers continuing to infest the Roads to such a Degree, that there is no Travelling in Safety.

Sallee, Nov. 22. N. S. The rigorous Order, not to give or sell any Arms or other Commodities to the *Arabs* of the Province of *Ducala* and Country adjacent, which are, as it were, the Granary of all *Barbary*, occasions an extraordinary Dearth here; a good Measure of 8*l.* of Meal standing us in above 2*l. English*; so that several Persons have been found starved to Death upon the Highways in the Country, and some few have died of Hunger even here. On the other Side, Trade is entirely at a Stand, the Ships in our Harbour not being able to get their Loading; and, which makes our Case yet worse, we have had very little Rain this long while. However, we are told, that most of the *Arabs* of the two Provinces above are inclinable to submit themselves to King *Muley Abdallah*; and whenever that happens, the Famine will soon cease. The *English* Merchant-Ships brought in hither, not being yet released, a Man of War of that Nation continues cruising before our Bar.

Constantinople, Nov. 26. *N. S.* All here remains in perfect Tranquillity; for though the Heads of the Malecontents ride a little rusty, they do not seem to aim at another Revolution. We have not yet heard how Affairs stand upon the Frontiers of *Persia*. Letters from *Smyrna*, of the 17th, say only, that two *French* Merchant-Ships were arrived there from *Marseilles*. The new Sultan is trying the softest Methods to disarm the Mutineers, by winning over their Chiefs. The Grand Seignior has actually nominated *Mustapha Effendi*, to set out next Month for *Vienna*, as his Highness's Embassador-Extraordinary, to notify to that Court his Accession to the Throne; and Envoys will be sent with the same Commission to *Venice* and *Moscow*: And as for other Christian Princes, to whose Courts it is not usual for the Port to send Ministers, the same will be notify'd to them by Letters.

Zurich, *Jan.* 6. N. S. *Yesterday* there were already upwards of 900 Refugees from the Valleys of *Pragelas* and S. *Martin*, arrived at *Geneva* and that Neighbourhood; for whose Support, the Sum of 45,000 Florins is full little. The King of *Prussia* has kindly offer'd to receive them all in his Territories; but those poor People do not care to go so far from home, in hopes the King of *Sardinia* will alter his Mind, and recall them.

We are assured from good Hands, that the Junior Dutchess of *Marlborough*, has agreed with the incomparable Mlle *Salle* (who performs with such universal Applause on *Lincoln's*-Inn Theatre) to teach her certain Dances, in which her Grace is particularly desirous of being perfected.

Hops per *Hund.*	
From.	*To.*
Old 22	37
New 45	3/ 10
Coals	26 27
p. *Ch.*	
Grain p. Quart.	
Wheat 28	30
Rye 14	15
Barley 12	14
Oates 12	13
Tares 24	26
H. Beans 23	25
H. Peafe 11	13
Boildit. 16	18
P. Malt 17	19
Br. dit. 16	18

C. of Exchange	
Amft.	34 10 a 9
D. fight	34 7
Rotter.	34 a 11
Antwer	35 6
Hamb.	33 5
P. fight	31
Bourd.	31
Cadiz	42
Madrid	
Bilboa	41
Leghor.	50
Genoa	53
Venice	48
Dublin	12
Lisbon	5 5 a
Oporto	5 5 a

Stocks	*Saturday*	*Monday*	*Tuesday*	*Wednesday.*	*Thursday*	*Friday.*
S. Sea	103	103 a	103	103 a	103	103 a
Annu.	106 a	106	105	106	106	106 a
Bank	143 a	143	143	143	143	143
India	190	189 a 190	189. 190	190 , , ,	190 a 191	187
3p. C.	97	97	96 a	96 a	97	97
MBan	107	107	107	107	107 a	107
Afric.	49	49 a	49 a	24 a 25	49 a	49 a
P. Bu.	25	25, 26, 25,	25 a	96 a	25	25
R. Aff.	96 a	96	96 a	12	96 a	96 a
L. dit	12 a	12	12	3 *l.*	12	12
E Cop.	3 *l.* *s.*	3 *l.* *s.*	3 *l.*	2 *l.* 19*s.*	3 *l.* *s.*	3 *l.*
W dit	3 *l.* *s.*	3 *l.* *s.*	3 *l.* *s.*	5 *l.* 15 *s.*	2 *l.* 19	2 *l.* 19 *s.*
B. Cir	5 *l.* 15 *s.* 6	5 *l.* 15 *s.* 6*d.*	5 *l.* 15 *s.*	5 *l.* 12 *s.*	5 *l.* 15	5 *l.* 15
I Bon.	5 *l.* 14 *s.*	5 *l.* 13 *s.*	5 *l.* 12 *s.*	5 *l.* *s.*	5 *l.* 13	5 *l.* 15
S Sdit	5 *l.* 8*s.*	5 *l.* 5*s.*	5 *l.* 2*s.*		5 *l.* 2*s.*	5 *l.* 3*s.* 4

India Stock and 3 *per Cent. Ann.* and *R. E. Assur.* sell, as above, for the Opening, with their several Devidends. *S. S. Stocks* opens the 29th. *R. E. Assur.* 19. *Afric.* sell, as above, for the Opening, *Equivalent* for Opening with the Divid.

ARRIVED

M. W. *signifies* Man of War.

When arriv'd at LEITH. *from*

6 *Jan.* Expedition *Watt* Dantzick
Inverneis Pack. *Chalmers* Seville

LIVERPOOL. *from*

8 *Jan.* John & Hen. *Weston* Cadiz
Expedition *Whitwood* Altea

BRISTOL. *from*

21 *Jan.* Virginian *Lewis* Jamaica

FALMOUTH. *from*

7 *Jan.* S. Andrew *Brown* Glaſgow
Philippa *Osborn* London

PLYMOUTH. *from*

10 *Jan.* Henly *Butler* Barbadoes
Rogers *Rawlings* Oſtend
Mary *Perry* Morlaix
Endeavour Zeland

DARTMOUTH. *from*

5 *Jan.* Wm & Mat *Bellamy* Oſtend
7 Charm. Phillis *Lemon* Loudon
Delight *Hooper* ditto
Algarve *Oiding* ditto
Wm & Mary *Cox* dit o

EXON *from*

9 *Jan.* Mary *Andrews* Carolina

WEYMOUTH *from*

11 *Jan.* Hanover *Linthorn* Malaga

POOL *from*

2 *Jan.* Robert *Clark* Barcelona

PORTSMOUTH *from*

11 *Jan.* Portland *Cooper* Oſtend
Ed. & Mary *Glover* Havre

DOVER *from*

7 *Jan.* Mary *Grimes* Jamaica
Bridg. & Ann *Turner* Weym.
Two Doves *Brown* ditto
Bremen Poſt *Bowles* Topſham
Mary *Denn* Waterford
Swan *Dunham* Cette
Charity *Foreſter* Waterford

GRAVESEND *from*

7 *Jan.* Langley *Horner* Narva
8 Succeſs *Watt* Dublin
9 Williams *Dale* Nevis
Merry Gregg *Harvey* Bologne
Charm. Peggy *Hooper* Oſtend
Oldfield *Beal* Jamaica
Hart *Hurt* Maryland
London-Hope *Annis* Philadelph.
Swift *Treviſar* Guinea
Neptune *Smith* Dunkirk
Duke of Charos *Pepper* ditto
11 Chandois *Jewers* Rotterd.
Townſhend *Kelham* ditto
Happy-Return *Scott* ditto
King David *Alcock* ditto
Providence *Hammond* Dunkir
S. Clement *Stobart* Oſtend
Grizel *Tellers* Malaga
Townſhend *Kelham* Rotter.
Picktar *Bell* ditto
13 Catharine *Clarebut* Calais
Dolphin *Collins* Rotterd.

IRELAND.

KINSALE. *from*

Walpole *Clark* Virginia
Geo. & Francet *Lancaſter* ditto

CORK *from*

23 *Dec.* Dolphin *Staples* London
Mary & Eliz. *Gitton* Bourd.
Roſe *Doran* Lisbon
24 Pelican *Baron* Malaga
Three Brothers *Gitton* Dunkirk
George *Lewis* Bourdeaux

FOREIGN PORTS.

T. W. ſignifies *this Week.*

CAROLINA. *from*

Lovely Mol. Ann *Omer* London
Shoreham *Edwards* ditto
Johannah *Smith* ditto

VIRGINIA. *from*

Peace *Kemp* Bidiford

JAMAICA. *from*

Cornwal *Rowles* Africa
Roebuck Africa
Dut. of Portland *Lewis* ditto
Argyle *Hamilton* ditto
Rebecca *Jenkins* London
Derby *Lang* ditto

BARBADOES *from*

Martha *Weeden* Africa
Dreadnaught *Whitchurch* ditto
Violet *Oxenden* ditto
Union *Dolman* ditto
Rainbow *Vincent* ditto
Laſſelis *Duce* London
Thomas *Mills* ditto
Cheſter *Sweet* Briſtol
Elizab. & Sarah *Jennings* ditto
Mattapony *Simpſon* ditto
Triton *Gale* ditto
Three Brothers *Borde* Cork
Neptune *Polick* Glaſgow
Hope *Brownhil* Liverp.
Induſtry *Carr* Maryland
Hannah *Brown* ditto
Heſter *Giles* ditto

AFRICA. Numb. of Slaves on Board.

14 *Sep.* Proſpetity *Hebert* 350
Hayman 200
Blackmore 10
Bridget 10

SMIRNA. *from*

Williams *Petree* London

NAPLES. *from*

22 *Dec.* Parthanope *Beal* Nſ.land
G. D. of Tuſcan *Radoon* Lisbon

LEGHORN *from*

31 *Dec.* Ann *Weight* Naples
3 *Jan.* Cato *Jell* Ancona

GENOA. *from*

4 *Jan.* Tw. Genoa *Fielding* Lisbon
9 Diligence *Mews* Cheſter
Griffin *Nichols* Yarm.

BARCELONA *from*

7 *Jan.* Union *Ahier* N. England

ALICANT. *from*

30 *Dec.* Induſtry *Farwel* Nſ.land
Lechlade *Dix* Barcelona
31 S. Legar *Bray* Genoa
1 *Jan.* Mary *Becket* Cadiz
2 Roebuck *Roebuck* Naples
Hopewel Venetos
Seville Packet *Davies* B. Carlo
Speedwel *Bayley* Nſ.land
Dolly *Tage* ditto

MALAGA *from*

2 *Jan.* Tw. Suſan *Daniel* Nſ.land
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Benjamin *Smithſon* ditto

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P. Frederick *Gibbs* Barcelona
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Triton *Jones* London
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Hern *Hern* N. England
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Friendſhip *Combs* London
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Suſanna *Snelling* Bilboa
Hercules *Dupree* Dunkirk
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Tuſcany *Dennis* Sicily
Elizabeth *Bloom* Dantzick

SEVILLE *from*

Mary Ann *Mail* London
Antelope *Morris* ditto

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6 Dunkirk Pack. *Jackſon* ditto
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Mary *Chip* ditto
10 Hen. & Priſcil. *Lucas* ditto

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